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7. (Confidential - JGO) Met with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and delivered a letter from Mr. Colby to Chairman Mahon dated 21 September concerning

Preston
told me that he had passed on the information concerning recent small-scale invasion of Haiti to Representative Dan Flood (D., Pa.), Flood was satisfied with the report.

I picked up from Preston copies of the "Report of Expenditure of Foreign Currencies and Appropriated Funds" for use in reporting Representative Minshall's travel expenses to the House Administration Committee.

I reviewed with Preston the OSR September 1973 study "Soviet Military Planning: Origins and Outlines of a Five-Year Defense Plan" and briefed him on several current intelligence items. See Memorandum for the Record.

- 8. (Confidential JGO) Talked to Dempsey Mizelle, State, Justice, Commerce, and the Judiciary Subcommittee staff, House Appropriations Committee, who told me that the Subcommittee report a year ago had indicated that the Department of State was expected to follow the same standards for shipment of foreign-made vehicles that had been directed for the Department of Defense. Mizelle told me that although there have been many conversations with Department representatives since that time, he knows of no modification of that position by the Subcommittee.

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- 9. (Confidential JGO) Met with Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, who told me that he needs to have in hand not later than Monday, Agency suggested changes in legislation that have been promised. It is not necessary that the items have formal Agency approval at this time. I told him I would relay the reminder and see if we couldn't have something for him on Monday.

In response to his question of yesterday, I explained to Slatinshek the sensitivity and other problems regarding the alleged Brezhnev detente report and gave him a brief outline of the Brezhnev statement. He told me this is sufficient for the present and if any more detail is needed for the Chairman, he will call me. Committee concern results from present consideration of Defense Department request.

I reviewed with Slatinshek the OSR September 1973 study "Soviet Military Planning: Origins and Outlines of a Five-Year Defense Plan" and briefed him on several current intelligence items. See Memorandum for the record.

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